

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

DATE 4/10/64

Full Name Moreau, William Jr. - middle initial is J.
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address Box 248 - 1 Vernon St.

City Rutland State Vermont

Age 27 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Protestant Nationality French

Occupation Free-lance insurance adjuster

Education _____

Weight about 185 Color White Height 5'10"

Color of hair Brown Color of eyes _____

Outstanding characteristics or interests none - good looking

Married or single single Children _____
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
T-7	Rutland	Vermont	ASM	1/64	4/10/64

✓ Special recognition _____

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons: Was signed a statement while being held awaiting Formal Charges that he did commit an immoral act with an 11 year old Boy Scout. Admits to previous acts but will not state specifics. Was asked for help.

Signed Bartley B. Young
Scout Executive

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April 15, 1964

Mr. Bartley Nourse
Scout Executive
Green Mountain Council, No. 593

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
RE: William J. Moreau Jr.

Dear Mr. Nourse:

Thank you very much for your confidential record sheet and the newspaper clipping concerning William J. Moreau Jr., former Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop 7. We have placed this information in our file.

This information will enable us to identify Mr. Moreau, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL DIVISION

Howard Boyd
Director of Registration

HB:ms

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Memo

From
BARTLEY B. NOURSE
Scout Executive

To Warren Olsen

1-15-64

Enclosed is a copy of a
clipping that appeared in
The Herald yesterday.
Thought you might
want it for the file on
William J. Moreau, Jr.
Since it reveals his
plea of "guilty."

BarT.



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GREEN MOUNTAIN COUNCIL
128 Merchants Row
RUTLAND, VERMONT

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Boy Scouts of America

GREEN MOUNTAIN COUNCIL, INC. No. 593 - - 128 MERCHANTS ROW, RUTLAND, VERMONT

RUTLAND HERALD

4-14-64

**INVESTIGATION ORDERED
IN LEWDNESS CASE**

Judge Richard F. Sullivan ordered a pre-sentence investigation Monday at Rutland Municipal Court of the lewd relations case involving William J. Moreau, 27, of Rutland. Moreau pleaded guilty Saturday to having lewd relations with a local 13-year-old boy. He is free on \$3,000 bail pending final disposition of the case.

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Memo

From

BARTLEY B. NOURSE

Scout Executive

To Warren

4-13-64

Enclosed is the information sheet concerning William J. Moreau, Jr. (also known in your files as William Moreau Jr). I do not know his educational background.

The local newspaper Editor assured me that he would keep the name of Scouting out of the papers - as did the State's Attorney, the Mayor of the city of Rutland and the investigating officer. So far so good.



Barb

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GREEN MOUNTAIN COUNCIL
128 Merchants Row
RUTLAND, VERMONT

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Mr. Bartley B. Nourse
Scout Executive,
Green Mountain Council, B.S.A.
128 Merchants Row
Rutland, Vermont

Dear Mr. Nourse:

Effective immediately I hereby resign my commission
as assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 7 Rutland, Vt. sponsored
by the United Commercial Travelers.

Rutland, Vermont
April 10, 1964

William J. Moreau
Witness, *Elwin W. Small*

RUTLAND HERALD APRIL 13, 1964

Man Arraigned Here On Charge of Lewd Act

A Rutland man was arraigned in Municipal Court here Saturday on a charge of having lewd relations with a local 11-year-old boy.

William J. Moreau, 27, was released in \$3,000 bail after Judge Richard Sullivan continued the case to Monday for further investigation. State's Atty. Arthur E. Crowley said the offense happened earlier this month.

The boy's father brought the first complaint to city police last Thursday, and Moreau gave himself up at the station Friday, law officials stated. Atty. Donald H. Hackel of Rutland represented Moreau at the Saturday arraignment.

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April 10, 1964

Mr. Robert W. Sproul
Deputy Regional Scout Executive
80 Federal Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Bob,

As per your suggestion on the telephone last night I am sending this letter with what information I have as of 3:45 this afternoon concerning the morals case of William Moreau.

Last evening my Council President and I were invited by the local police department to hear a story from an eleven year old Boy Scout in Troop 7, Rutland. Upon arriving at the station we spent a good half hour trying to locate Moreau but had no success. After about an hour of encouraging questions on our part, the boy finally told us of an immoral act that he and Moreau, his assistant Scoutmaster, committed Saturday evening April 4, 1964.

This boy was one of about a dozen Scouts who stayed overnight in the Vaughan Lodge at Camp Sunrise. Moreau was their leader. The voluntary admission of this act as related by the boy never used the words "forced me" or "made me". We were unable to locate Moreau and so could not get his side of the story.

The parents, though appreciative of our concern for their son and the name of the Scouting movement, are anxious to press charges. In fact, I have just talked with Officer Barrett and he is in the process of making formal charges. Moreau has not been seen since 7:30 last night. The States Attorney with whom I talked late last night and the local police assure me they will do everything in their power to keep Scouting's name and Camp Sunrise out of this. Our local paper, The Rutland Herald, has a policy which states that names of boys under 16 will not be used.

At your request I have just talked with Warren Holm at the Home Office, Mr. Wilson being away. I've advised him of this situation.

William Moreau, age 27, about 5' 10" tall, 185 lbs, brown hair, is the registered Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 7 sponsored by the United Commercial Travelers. He is of Protestant faith, single and works as a free-lance insurance adjuster. He served for a time as Scoutmaster in Essex Junction, Vermont. My President and I are still trying to contact him so that we might get his side of the story.

I shall keep you informed as events unfold.

Sincerely,

Bartley B. Nourse
Scout Executive

cc: Warren Holm, Assistant Director Personnel, National Council

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APPLICATION FOR ADULT REGISTRATION

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

NATIONAL COUNCIL

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT PERSONALLY BY EACH ADULT WHO IS NOT LISTED ON THE UNIT CHARTER APPLICATION OR COUNCIL ROSTER AND WHO:

- STATUS
- Registers for the first time, regardless of position. (New) ☐
 - Has been separated and is reregistering. (Sep.-Re.) ☐
 - Is now registered in this council, separating from current position and transferring to new position. (Transfer)* ☐
 - Is now registered in another council. (Transfer) ☒ T

I hereby make application for registration with the Boy Scouts of America and subscribe to its Scout Oath and Scout Law and its declaration of religious principle as stated on reverse side of sheet. I agree, if a registration certificate is granted, to be guided by the Constitution and Bylaws of both the National Council and local councils and such rules and regulations as may be promulgated by them. I transmit herewith \$1.00 membership fee for one year (or a pro rata fee), half of which is to cover subscription to SCOUTING magazine for the period of my membership. For subscription to BOYS' LIFE, add \$1.50 or pro rata amount.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT William Moreau, Jr. DATE Dec. 10, 1963

Name William Moreau, Jr. (Please print or type full name.)
Mailing address Box 248 Business phone 775-4418
City Rutland Home phone same
Zone _____ State Vermont

To serve as Assistant Scoutmaster (Position in unit or council)
Of Troop Local No. 7 OR Council name _____
City Rutland State Vermont
From Dec. 31, 1963 To April 30, 1964
(Date of registration) (Expiration date of unit or council)
Occupation Insurance adjuster Are you married? Yes ☐ No ☒
Age 27 U.S. citizen: Yes ☒ No ☐ OR Declaration of Intention Yes ☐ No ☒ Sex Male
Are you currently registered? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, where, Long Trail Nov. 30, 1963
(Name of council) (Unit number) (Expiration date)
Have you been registered in Scouting in any adult capacity? Yes ☒ No ☐ What position Scoutmaster
When and how long? Troop 1, Essex Center, Vermont Where? _____
What is your religious preference? (See other side, Article IV) Protestant

APPROVED BY Henry L. Grupe TITLE Chairman
(See "Approval" on other side)

LOCAL COUNCIL APPROVAL

We hereby approve this person and recommend certificate be issued.

Date 12-13-63 Signed [Signature]
Scout Executive

*Note: Please submit Separation Notice (No. 6108) for position individual is leaving.

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Check box at right for subscription to BOYS' LIFE magazine. G. BRINLEY DEC 1
One-half concession rate to registered Scouts is \$1.50 a year or 12½¢ a month. See reverse side.

REGION NO.	COUNCIL NO.	DISTRICT NO.	Troop (Type of unit)
1	593	1	7
			NATIONAL NO.

Note to Den Mother: Where both husband and wife are registered, both receive SCOUTING magazine. If you would rather that we leave your name off the mailing list, please check box at right. The registration fee is the same in either case. ☐

L. ASCHER DEC 19 1963

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